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## Gary,

Due to the high cost of sludge disposal would be willing to have a discussion about treating the sludge on site until the sludge was no longer hazardous? Options for staging the sludge include removing the top on Tank 2, which is on the north property and putting the sludge in that tank. That way we could transfer the sludge from Tanks 10, 27 and 30 immediately and then Tank 26 after we dewater the tank. Other options include building a double lined cell to hold the sludge.

Let me know if either of these options are available.

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